AGENDA

CHARTER REVIEW COMMISSION

Wednesday, September 9, 2015 8:00 a.m. Council Office Building 6th Floor Conference Room

(Times are approximate and do not constitute special rules)

8:00 a.m. I. OPENING REMARKS

- ➤ Welcoming remarks
- > Introduction of CRC members and staff

8:10 a.m. II. MISSION OF THE CHARTER REVIEW COMMISSION

- ➤ Description of the mission of the CRC and staff's role
- ➤ History of the CRC
- ➤ What qualifies as Charter material? (presented by Edward Lattner, Office of the County Attorney)
- ➤ How issues are selected for CRC review
 - i. Meetings with the County Executive and Councilmembers
 - ii. Public forums
- > Timeline for drafting the report
 - i. Draft report due to Council staff: March, 2016
 - ii. Final draft approved by the CRC: April, 2016
 - iii. Final report due to the Council: May 1, 2016
 - iv. Report presented to the Council: June, 2016
- ➤ Issues for Committee Discussion:
 - i. Filling County Executive vacancy
 - ii. Other potential issues
- (Note: This timetable means that preliminary decisions must be made in five months.)

8:40 a.m. III. ADMINISTRATIVE ITEMS

- > Selection of a regular time for future meetings
- ➤ Discussion of agenda for the October meeting
- > Confirmation of contact information
- ➤ Attendance at Commission meetings
- > Reimbursement for travel and child care expenses
- Parking arrangements and badges

9:00 a.m. IV. ADJOURN

Additional information can be found on the official CRC website at http://www.montgomerycountymd.gov/crc/, and also on an unofficial website at http://bessel.org/charter/.